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A DAY IN THE WOODS.

'A feller feels like drowsin'-for the air full o' dreams;
Far off the cow-bells tinkle by the cool an' shaded streams;
An' the wooin' winds invite you where the bees are on the wing.
An' the birds are makin' merry where the honey-suckles swing.

Sing a song o' summer-"Ting-a-ling-a-ling!"
Cattle boys a-sleepin'
Where the honeysuckles swing.

'A feller feels like loafin'; for the weatheller feels like loann; for the weather's fair and fine, the fishin' rod's a-bobbin' to the throbbin' o' the line; the river-banks invite you where a breezy chorus swells, seenes o' joy delight you where the cattle shake their bells.

Sing a song o' summer—
"Ting a-ling a-ling!"
Fishermen a-noddin'
Where the honeysuckles swing.

It's good to be a livin' in this weather—
night an' morn;
When you hear a song o' plenty in the
rustle o' the corn!
When a picture o' the harvest shines in
every drop o' dew,
An' the old world's rollin' happy 'neath a
livin' bend o' blue!

Sing a song o' summer—
"Ting-a-ling-a-ling!"
All the country smilin'
Where the honeysuckles swing.
—F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.

Love Crowned.



strongly built. His features were cast in regular the mold, yet no one thought of saying he was handsome, "Not bad looking," accompanied by

a shrug of the shoulders, was generally the acme of praise awarded Justin Seymour.

He had fine, dark eyes-eyes which looked at you half searchingly, half suspiciously-eyes which told you in a glance that he had little faith in his fellow men. But no cynical light gleamed in those eyes now, for they rested on the earnest face of Myra Blaine.

Myra's carnestness was too much for him-his cynicism vanished before She talked to him as no one had talked to him before; she cast some influence over him-an influence he tried to resist at first, but seemingly he yielded to it now, for every morning found him sitting here in this pleasant room, where Myra came with her

handiwork. "Justin Seymour has considerable of his Satanic Majesty in his composition, but I believe, my dear Myra, that is always an attraction for your sex. He has been deceived and disappointed until he hasn't any faith left, but he's a very good sort of fellow, for all that.'

This was what Philip Aymer, My ra's intended husband, said to her the day he brought Justin Seymour with him on a visit to her father's house. 'And instantly her pure heart went out in pity to this strong man, who was, she thought, so much in need of a help-

Ah, dangerous pity! Myra's embroidery lay in her lap. She had not set a a stitch in it for the last fifteen minutes. Her great, earnest violet eyes were raised to Justin Seymour's dark ones, as she sat talking to him.

A footstep sounded in the hallway without, and Justin Seymour rose and abruptly quitted the room as Philip 'Aymer sauntered in.

What meant Justin Seymour's sudden departure when Philip entered? This same thing had happened before, but Philip noticed it now for the first time. He looked over at Myra. With cheeks aglow her head was bent over her embroidery; nor did she raise her eyes to see who entered.

He crossed over to the window and looked out for several moments, and still Myra did not raise her eyes to

ook at him. "Myra," he said, suddenly turning from the window, "you are getting inerested in Mr. Seymour, or he is get ng interested in you-which is it?" "Perhaps we are getting interested in

h other," said Myra, smiling. Myra, you should not get interested Justin Seymour. He is not a good

-he had led a hard life--" Philip Aymer, for shame! to speak our friend in such a manner! Do orget, sir, that you have left this who is so very bad-who has led an awful life-and me to enter-

ach other every day since you ere?" cried Myra, indignantly. Aymer's face turned scarlet ed over to Myra's side.

" he said, putting his arm

touch me. don't! I cannot said Myra, drawing from him, stened at her own words, she er face with her hands.

nas come to this!" thought ry vestige of color leaving

e engaged to be married. is had managed the enthem while they were do it themselves. But rrangement, not that he ly in love with Myra, er, and she possessed a oney was Philip Ay-

was handsome, she ve she knew nothing about her, and she

"Myra, I think your conduct needs an explanation." "Yes, it does," said Myra, quickly, her hands dropping from her face. "I

never understood my own heart till today. Philip, I do not love you; I can never be your wife." "You do not love me, but you love Justin Seymour-a man who never

cares for anybody but himself-a rover on the face of the earth; he is here today, and away to-morrow, having faith in no one, caring for no one but himself.'

"Philip!" came reproachfully from Myra's lips, but he turned away with a frown, left the room and went in search of Justin Seymour.

It was evening of the same day. "Miss Blaine, I am going away tomorrow morning, too early to see you, so I will say good-bye now."

The book Myra had been reading fell from her hands, her heart seemed to rise to her throat and suffocate her as Justin Seymour hurriedly entered the room and, making his way over to her side, uttered the above words.

It was true, then, what Philip had said. This man would never care anything for her; he was here to-day and struction of many vessels. way to-morrow.

Myra struggled for composure.

"This is quite unexpected, Mr. Seymour. I hope we haven't falled to make your visit here a pleasant one?" said Myra, looking straight before her. "Miss Blaine, if it will give you any pleasure to know it, I am leaving your happy home a far better man'than I was when I entered it."

Myra locked up quickly and met the dark eyes of Justin Seymour fixed tenderly upon her.

"Oh, I am so glad, Mr. Seymour!" she cried in her old, impulsive, ear- property. nest manner, and, laying her hand upon his arm, she continued: "I may never again see you in this world, Mr. Seymour, but I hope you will live so that I shall meet you there-," she was going to add, "where we will know no more parting."

"Good-bye, Myra," was all the answer he made her.

His voice was husky. For a moment he held her hand in his, and the next Myra was alone.

Myra sat in a dazed state where he left her. Again she heard him call her Myra, again she felt his hand tremling like a leaf. And this man cared nothing for her.

A year passed away. Myra Blaine was visiting an aunt in a distant vil-

It was Sunday, and she sat in the village church by her aunt's side, sat electrified, listening to that rich, powerful voice that led the village choir.

"Who is it that leads the singing, aunt?" said Myra, carelessly, after services, as she walked across the churchyard with her aunt.

"It is Mr. Seymour. Do you like his singing?

"I think I know Mr. Seymour," said Myra, instead of answering her aunt's question. "Has he lived here long?" "This is his native place. He was

away from here quite a while, though. He must have sowed his wild oats while he was away, for since he came back he is a changed man. There is his mother's grave."

Myra paused before the handsome monument which her aunt pointed out, on which was inscribed that simple, but most beautiful of all names, "My Mother."

"I will remain here a little while, aunt," said Myra, and her aunt left

How long she stood there leaning against the railing she didn't know. She was roused by the sound of a footstep on the gravel walk near her. She was not in the least surprised, but he drew back as if doubting his eyesight. Myra held out her hand.

"Mr. Seymour, this is, indeed, strange meeting."

"Mrs. Aymer," was all he said, as he took her proffered hand. "My name is not Mrs. Aymer; I am

still Myra Blaine," said Myra, smiling. "You are not Mrs. Aymer!" cried Justin, his eyes beaming with delight. Before I bade you good-bye that evening a year ago Philip told me that you were to be his wife in a few weeks."

"Philip Aymer told an untruth. was nothing to him that night. The engagement between him and me was broken that morning," said Myra, with downcast eyes and blushing cheeks.

He took courage from the expression of her face. Her hand was still in his, and he put his arm about her now. Raleigh, N. C. "Myra, here at my mother's grave, let me tell you that it was because I loved you that I left you so abruptly that evening. I could not stay to see

you his wife." "And it was because I loved you a year ago that I refused to marry him,'

said Myra, softly. And at last her pure love was crowne

with happiness.-New York News.

Chimpanzee With a History. The zoological garden at Cincinnati, Ohio, has purchased a big chimpanzee from Hagenbeck, of Hamburg. It is larger than the famous Pat Rooney II., who died last April, and has an interesting history. It was purchased by one of Oom Paul's secretaries from a trader, and he taught it many tricks. The animal was so affectionery well satisfied with ate that he took it with him on his travels with the army, and about a month ago he was captured by some British soldiers. One of Hagenbeck's agents saw the animal, and, as it was | Wyoming amount to \$10,000,000. so intelligent, and chimpanzees being almost extinct, he purchased it, paying a good price. Ever since Pat Rooney II.'s death the Cincinnati zoo itil just now, when has had a standing order with Hagenbeck for a chimpanzee, and as soon y as she did in the as the concern heard that its agent trade exhibition of the Society of that she loved Jus- had secured such a fine specimen the American Florists and Ornamental slored lieutenant. He has spent eight

THE NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

It is not believed that the coal op erators will attend the conference at Hazleton, to which they have been in-

vited by the United Mine Workers. Correspondence recently discovered in the Philippines and given out at Washington shows that the Filipinos planned two covert attacks upon Manila.

A successful test was recently made of the naval terch at Atlantic City, N. J., under the supervision of the Government officials

Margaret Minnehan, a former nun, committed suicide by jumping over-board from the French liner L'Aquitaine at sea.

National Association of Mexican War Veterans will meet in Cincinnati on September 13 and 14. The Municipal League will hold its

tember 19, 20 and 21. St. Louis shows a spurt in her efforts for a world's fair next year. There were several race riots in New

A terrific storm is reported to have raged at Cape Nome on August 7, resulting in much loss of life and the de-

Water splashed into a vessel of molten metal at the Bethlehem Steel Company's works, at Bethlehem, Pa., and caused an explosion. Seven men were dangerously hurt.

The remains of "Tom Hall," the wellknown writer and soldier, who died at Hannibal, Mo., were taken to Chicago and interred there.

The Building Trades Council of San Francisco has ordered a general boy-cott of all the goods turned out by nine-hour planing mills. A terrific electrical storm struck St.

Joseph. Mich., and did much damage to A small tornado visited Milwaukee. One man was killed and another fatally injured by a live electric wire in

Philadelphia. The will of the late C. P. Huntington was filed in New York. The widow adopted daughter (Princess Hatzfeldt). and his nephews are the chief bene-

Andrew Carter Gilligan has begun his sentence of 18 years in Virginia penitentiary for the murder of Mr. Turner, father of his one-time sweetheart. The population of St. Louis is 575,

238. In 1890 its population was 451,770. The increase during the past ten years was 123,468, or 27,33 per cent.

Hon. W. L. Wilson, former Postmaster-General, and now president of Washington and Lee University, is reported to be seriously ill. Hon. Harry L. Maynard, of Ports-

Omaha, Neb., is the first city thus far counted in the twelfth census that shows a decrease in population during shows a decrease in population du there was but one owner for counted in the twelfth census that the past decade. The count of the population shows 102,555. The population in 1890 was 140,452. This indicates a decrease in ten years of 37,-897, or 26.98 per cent.

The population of Jersey City is 206,-433, against 163,003 for 1890, an Inboken's population is 59,364, as against 43,648 for 1890, an increase of 15,716, or 36.01 per cent.

The sixteenth annual convention and third exhibition of the Society of American Florists and Ornamental Horticulturists adjourned in New York. A fire which has smoldered for 40 vears in Summit Hill Mine, Allentown, Pa., has broken out afresh, and is rag-

On account of pressure of public business the President may not be able to visit the G. A. R. Encampment in

Chicago. Judge Cantrill, of Kentucky, continued the case of Henry Youtsey until

next term of the court on account of the prisoner's illness. Major John B. Kerr and Captain Slocum have been ordered to Berlin and Lisbon, respectively, as United States

military attaches. Bartholomew Ruella, a noted Italian counterfeiter, was convicted at Philadelphia of making and passing bad sil-

ver dollars. Hon. J. P. Dolliver was appointed United States Senator by Governor Shaw, of Iowa, to succeed the late Senator Gear.

Thomas Green, the well-known hotel proprietor in Philadelphia, died there, aged 70 years.

Caleb Corbin and his father were killed near Brooks Run, W. Va., by a hand-car plunging into the creek. Adolph Sinks, principal of the Sink's

Institute, Chicago, died at Hartford, Conn., aged 68 years. Mrs. Florida Grant, wife of Bishop Grant, of the A. M. E. Church, died at Atlantic City.

A statue to ex-United States Senator Zebulon Vance was unveiled at

The Berkeley County (W. Va.) Agricultural Fair is the most successful ever held. The Fayerweather will case in Nev

York has been opened again. The steamer Spectacular was sunk in Lake Erie.

The Farmers' National Congress asembled in Colorado Springs. A large number of delegates from various sections of the country were present. The visitors were welcomed by Mayor J. R. Robinson. According to census returns, the

population of St. Paul is 163,632, an increase over 1890 of 30,476, or 22.89 per cent.. and that of Minneapolis is 202,-718, an increase over 1890 of 37,980, or Mr. W. J. Bryan addressed an audi-

ence at Wahoo, the seat of Saunders county, near Lincoln. Justice Frederick Smythe, of New York, died at Atlantic City after a lone illness.

It is estimated that the losses caused by the forest fires in Colorado and John D. Flower, a New York banker and brother of the late Roswell P.

Flower, is dead. The suggestion of American for a floral exhibit in Baltimore next year meets the approval of those attending the convention and management of the zoo was notified. Horticulturists in New York.

A TRAIL OF DEATH.

DRINK-CRAZED PHYSICIAN KILLS THREE AND IS SHOT DOWN.

CHILD A FORCED WITNESS.

Dr. Sturley Herrington of M'ssouri Shoots Down His Uncle and Mother-in-Law While in Search of Wife, Whom He Had Driven Away, and Kills Pursuing Sheriff -Shot by Sheriff's Son.

Leavenworth, Kan. (Special) .- A pe-Leavenworth, Kan. (Special).—A peculiarly distressing quadruple tragedy took place at Farley, a small town across the river in Missourt. Dr. Sturley Harrington, a physician, of Farley, drunk and imagining fancied wrongs, killed James Wallace, his uncle, a wealthy farmer; Mrs. Wm. Wallace, Harrington's mother-in-law, and J. P. Dillingham, sheriff of Platte county, who tried to arrest him. He was, in turn shot dead by Harry Dillingham. turn, shot dead by Harry Dillingham, the sheriff's son. Harrington's 12-year-old daughter

vas a forced witness of the different stages of the tragedy, the physician taking her with him in his buggy as he went from place to place on his bloody errand.

Saturday night Harrington quarreled with his wife and drove her from home. threatening her life. He had had words with James Wallace over a line fence, and had been on a protracted Mrs. Harrington had not returned home, and Harrington, repair-ing to Wallace's home, demanded to know where she could be found. Wal-

hrough the heart. Leaving his victim as he lay, Harrington drove half a mile to the home of Mrs. William Wallace, and again desettlement of all other questions so as manded news of his wife. Mrs. Wallace answered that she knew nothing early reply. of Mrs. Harrington, and the physician shot her dead before she could make

an outerv. Harrington drove immediately to ifie and ammunition for it. As he relened him. Reaching Farley, he en- and 21, 1900. tered William Ehee's general store and demanded some money of Daniel Can-

"I have only three dollars and can not let you have that," said Cannon. "Yes, you can, for I will pay it back,"

eplied Harrington. drew a revolver and demanded the truce, and invite the other powers to offered no resistance, as Peck earlier money. The clerk turned over the money and Harrington started to leave the store. As he did so Cannon seized Government shows its ability and wila revolver and fired one shot at him. Ingress to make on its part an effectHe missed, and Harrington turning. Ive suspension of hostilities there and quickly, emptied his revolver in the dikeep the people at bay and Harrington | prepared sauntered toward the door.

been following Harrington closely, and of the authoritative and responsible as the murderer emerged from the government of the Chinese Empire to store he stood face to face with his pur- attain the ends declared in our circusuers. Harrington raised his weapon lar to the powers of July 3, 1900. and fired at the sheriff, the ball entercrease of 43,430, or 26.64 per cent. Ho- ing Dillingham's forehead. Harrington a moment later stepped over the body of the dying sheriff and started to run. He had gone but a few when a shot from the revolver of Harry Dillingham, son of the sheriff, brought him to the ground. Both Sheriff Dillingham and Harrington died

> within a few minutes. DETAINED ITALIANS KEEP QUIET.

ecret Service Men's Prisoners Have Nothing to fay. New York (Special) .- Michael Guida and Mateo Moresca, the two Italians arrested by Secret Service men on the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II., brought over from Ellis Island to the barge office with the rest of the detained immigrants. The men, as far as appearances went, were no more curred in the spacious and beautiful guarded than are the persons in detention. They walked about the pen,

but had very little to say to their com-Captain Howard, head of the con-tract labor department, was in charge held in parks, in that the weather was

nothing new in the case. will have a special court of inquiry for remarks. Indeed, not one of the speakthe Anarchists remains to be seen. It ers was permitted to speak at the was suggested by an official that there length he had counted upon, and as a may be a special board of investiga- result the entire proceeding covered It is understood that the officials at Washington are waiting for evidence from the Consul at Naples which is to be gathered by the Italian police.

London (By Cable).-The Rome corespondent of the Daily Mail says: The arrest of Maresca and Guida in shine, which was intensified by great New York arose out of some letters re-ceived at Bresci's lodging subsequent to breeze. the assassination of King Humbert. An audible sigh of relief from the One of these, dated New York, July 25, sweltering crowd mingled with the apand signed 'Mabor,' urged Bresci to plause which greeted the appearance commit the crime, urging that Maresca of the national leader upon the plat-and Guida would do their duty toward form when he arrived at 3.30 o'clock, President McKinley. Maresca is known to the Italian police as a most fanatical while there was a general desire to

Tried to Impale Train

Wilkesbarre, Pa. (Special) .- A po liceman crossing the tracks of the Lehigh Valley Railroad in the extreme orthern part of the city came upon a serious, obstruction on the track could see down the line some distance rom the crossing something that protruded from the rocky embankment 0-foot steel rail imbedded in the rock and reaching out onto the track at an midnight. angle.

The rail was so placed that it would strike the cylinder of an engine coming from the west. It is thought the urpose was to wreck the express from Buffalo, and in the excitement that thief entered the house and was sur would follow blow open and rob the afe in the express car. Latimer a West Virginian Licut. Julian L. Latimer, who is with

he United States Army in Pekin for

he purpose of transmitting authentic

information to Admiral Remey, to be

sent on to Washington, is a native of efferson county, W. Va., where his room-mate, was rendered unconscious father was for several years Clerk of the Circuit Court.

He was appointed a cadet at the Naval Academy in 1886 by Hon. Wm. L. Wilson, was a bright and industrious student, and graduated with credit. In July of last year he was commis-

OUR REPLY TO EARL LI.

Latest Correspondence Between the Chinese and This Governments Washington (Special).—The State LARGE CROWD GATHERED TO LYNCH Department made public the following COLORED MAN.

(Handed to Mr. Adee by Mr. Wu, August 20, 1900.)

Cablegram dated August 19, from Viceroy Li Hung Chang, transmitted by the Chinese Minister in London and received by Mr. Wu on the night of the same day.

· It was the declaration of all the Ministers for Foreign Affairs of the great powers that the expedition of the ailled troops was solely for the rescue of the ministers in Pekin. Now the allied troops having entered Pekin and found all the ministers safe, it seems proper that hostilities should at the United States Government to ap- Mrs. Theodore Maas. point an envoy with full powers, or appoint the minister now in Pekin for the purpose, as he is necessarily acquainted with the affairs between Chinese and foreigners, and to inform me if the conference will take place in Pekin. After receipt of a definite reply I will at once proceed to the North. Please request the Secretary of State to lay the matter before his Excellency the President. I await reply. (Received at the Department of State

August 21, 1900.) Cablegram from Viceroy Li Hung Chang, dated August 21, 1900, and received by Minister Wu on the same

The Boxer rebels in Pekin having know where she could be found. Wal-lace professed to have no knowledge of her whereabouts, whereat Harrington erations on the part of the powers are whipped out a revolver and shot him twice, once in the head and once again cessation of hostilities, please confer with Secretary of State upon subject of withdrawal of troops and appoint-

22. 1900.) nese Minister's communication of cablegrams from Viceroy Earl Li Hung Leavenworth, taking his little girl with him. He purchased some cartridges for his revolver and a 41-caliber tilities and the appointment of an envoy to conduct negotiations, received traced his steps the liquor and the thoughts of his crime apparently madat the Department of State August 20

While the condition set forth in the memorandum delivered to the Chinese Minister August 12 has not been fulfilled, and the powers have been compelled to rescue their ministers by force to join with the representatives of the Sheriff Dillingham and his posse had other similarly interested powers and

ALVEY A. ADEE, Acting Secretary Department of State, Washington, Au-

BRYAN'S SECOND NOTIFICATION.

gust 22, 1900.

making it.

nessed by Large Crowd. Topeka, Kan. (Special). - William Jennings Bryan received the second official notification of his nomination for the Presidency. This notification came from the Populist party and Thomas M. Patterson, of Colorado, acted as the mouthpiece of the party in

Mr. Bryan was at the same time informed of the indorsement of his candidacy by the United States Monetary League, this notification being given by A. W. Rucker. The ceremonies ocgrounds of the State Capitol and were witnessed by a large number of people. In many respects the meeting paralleied the Indianapolis notification. This at the barge office, and said there was intensely hot, and that the impatience of the crowd compelled the speakers Whether the Government authorities preceding Mr. Bryan to curtail their only an hour and a half. Rain had

> the clouds had lifted and the fear of a storm which might compel the meeting to be held indoors had given place to the certainty of nercely beating sun-An audible sigh of relief from the

> been threatened early in the day, but

before the meeting was called to order

and it was evident even then that hear and see him the audience was finding the situation too uncomfortable to be long endured.

Girl Killed by Robber. New York (Special). - Catherine Scharff, aged 22, was beaten to death with a hammer in her rooms on the second floor of 674 Second avenue son time between 7 p. m. and midnight Saturday, the body not being found un-He made an examination and found a til morning. Her brother made the discovery when he came home after The woman's body lay in a pool of blood, face down-ward. Near by on the floor was a bloody hammer, and the rooms had been ransacked of every thing of value. It is the opinion of the police that a prised in his work by the girl, and that he killed her to prevent identification.

> Assaulted as They flept Charleston, W. Va. (Special) .- Clint Samples, a 19-year-old printer, employed on the Gazette, had his skull crushed while lying asleep in bed at Shamblin's Hotel, and Bert Myers, his

by a blow at the same time. The assault is shrouded in mystery. Samples gave one scream about o'clock, rousing the house. He was found in bed with his skull crushed while Myers was on the floor uncon scious. The room was open, but there was no weapon, nor anything to indidate who had committed the crime

RIOT IN AKRON, OHIO.

TWO CHILDREN KILLED.

Jail Officials Fired Upon and Many Pecple Injured in Melee-Crime for Which Colored Man was Arrested was Assault Upon a Six-Year-Old Girl - Prisoner Taken to Cleveland.

Akron, Ohio (Special).—In this city the heart of the boasted Western Reserve, a mob sought the life of a negro prisoner and in a conflict with the authorities shed blood.

Louis Peck, a colored man, was put once cease, and that negotiations in fall on the charge of criminally asshould commence. I therefore request saulting the little daughter of Mr. and

The report that he had confessed spread rapidly and a mob gathered. Not believing the statement of the Sheriff that Peck had been sent out of the city the crowd sent committees through the city prison and the county jail to search. This proving fruitless, the mob gathered in front of the city prison, where the Mayor tried to induce them to disperse.

Some one fired a shot at the prison. Other shots followed and for a few minutes there were terrible scenes. Two persons are dead from bullets

and several are badly wounded, at least one of the latter fatally. Between 1 and 2 o'clock a. m. Officer John Duffy arrested Peck, who during the day confessed to Prison Keeper Washer of having attempted to assault Christina, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Maas, industrious and respectable people, who live on Perkins Hill.

The colored man offered to give the child a ride in his buggy. Christina to preserve amicable relations. I await accepted the invitation, and a few hours later she was found on the side

(Sent to the Chinese Minister, Aug. 2, 1900.)

Memorandum in response to the Chi
Memorandum in response to the Chi-The story of his confession spread like wildfire through the city and offi-Chang, dated August 19 and 21, pro- cers learned that an attempt would be made to lynch him. Peck was badly frightened. Officers had been searching for him since Monday night, and he was arrested at the Union Depot as he stepped from a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train. In Police Court he pleaded guilty and was bound over to the Common Pleas Court. His bail was placed at \$5000.

A large crowd gathered about the of arms, unaided by the Chinese Gov- city prison at 7.30 o'clock and forced ernment, still this Government is in the doors. The prison was soon ready to welcome any overtures for a packed with the mob and the officers

> pointed to search all the cells and go through every part of the building. and we will deal with him." A mad rush followed for the jail,

and soon the jail was in the hands of After gaining the private apartments of the jail the crowd started to batter down the big iron doors. Deputy Sheriff Stone stood in front of the prison doors and made a speech. informed the crowd that Peck could not be found in there and told the people in the mob to select a committee and he would allow the committee to

search the jail from top to bottom. A committee was quickly selected and the jail was searched, every cell being The city prison was again surrounded and hundreds of people forced their way into the prison for the second

time, insisting that Peck was there. Mayor W. E. Young at this time appeared at one of the windows in the upper part of the building. dressed the mob as best he could, saying that Peck had been taken out of the prison at 4 o'clock by Sheriff Kelly and driven out of the city in a closed carriage. The people in the mob would not believe the Mayor and continued to vell and demand that Peck be sur-

At 10 o'clock the mob began for the third time to attack the city prison. Someone in the crowd began shooting at the building. This was followed by several more shots. The officers in the building appeared at the windows and began to shoot over the heads of the people. A man with a shotgun then fired at the officers.

It is said that several officers were wounded. The crowd then began to smash in the windows of the city building and the firing became general. Hundreds of shots were exchanged, and one boy, name unknown, was carried dead from the street. It is certain that dozens of men were wounded.

LIFE SENTENCE FOR LYNCHERS. Four More Whites Go to Jail for Killing

Humphries Men Dallas, Texas (Special) .- Four lynchers, white men, recognized as among the leading citizens of Henderson county, pleaded guilty before Judge Lipscomb, at Palestine, in Anderson county, before whom they were to be tried on change of venue, and received life sentences in the penitentiary. They were Former Justice of the Peace Jos. Wilkerson, J. A. Johns, Sam'l Hall and John F. Gaddis. This concludes the most sensational criminal chapter in the history of Henderson county. Eight white men have been convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for life for the lynching on the night of May 23, 1899, of James, John and George Humphries, white farmers, in what is known as the trans-cedar district. Two others, Polk Weeks and John Greenhaw, turned State's evidence and will escape punishment. The excuse for lynching the Humphries brothers was that they were "bad citizens and were gan has been confined in jail at Petersharboring criminals." The truth, however, appears to be that they knew too much about illicit stills and other vio-

lations of the law. ABOUT NOTED PEOPLE.

fighting to any imported sports. The little Grand Duchess Olga Russia is the richest baby in the world. At one time the Kaiser called Victor Emmanuel III. "the wandering royal encyclopedia.

Daniel Howell, of the New York City Postoffice, has resigned after an unpert with the foils, and is said to be a better fencer than anyone in his col-

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LATEST NEWS GLEANED FROM VARI-

OUS PARTS OF VIRGINIA. CAPITOL NEEDS REPAIRS.

Clark Cavalry Reunion Near Berryville-Confederate Veterans to Meet at Fairfax September 11 and 12-Gilligan's First Night in the Penitentiary-Strong Demand for Virginia Tobacco. When Governor Tyler returns to Richmond he will be requested to make an appropriation from the contingent fund for the purpose of having extensive improvements and repairs made to

the Capitol building, which, according to those who have inspected it, is bad-ly in need of attention. Col. Jno. W. Richardson, superintendent of buildings and grounds, will ask the Governor for this appropriation from the contingent fund and will ask him to go over the buildings and inspect the place thoroughly. Sufficient evidence of lack of funds for caring for the buildings is apparent at a glance. The condition of the exterior is especially bad. What amount will be required for the work is not known definitely at this time. Colonel Richardson says \$10,000 is needed to

make the necessary repairs.

The annual reunion of the Clarke Cavalry, Company C, Sixth Virginia Cavalry Regiment, Army of Northern Virgnia, was held in the grove on the farm of A. Moore, Jr., near Berryville. Besides a large number of old Confederate veterans there were present many from a distance who partook of the hospitality of the cavalry association. The speakers were Mr. Scott, a mem-ber of the Galveston (Texas) bar, who served in the Tenth Virginia cavalry, and Judge S. J. C. Moore, of this place Mr. Scott, who was the orator of the day, had for his subject "Misrepresentations and Mistakes in the Histories of the War," and his remarks were highly edifying from a historical standpoint. Judge Moore spoke on "The Defenses of Winchester by Milroy in June, 1863," and concluded his remarks with references to mistakes made by Lieut. Bradley T. Johnson in his history of the Civil War. Both addresses were full of interesting data for the young men present, and the associaion, upon motion, requested Judge Moore to correspond with the Appletons, the publishers of Johnson's history, regarding the errors which he avers General Johnson made in compiling his works. Hon. A. Moore, concluded the oratory with the reading of a sketch of the battle of Fredericksburg, written by Congress-

man John Lamb, of Richmond. Reunion at Fairfax.

Large numbers from Alexandria and the Dictrict of Columbia will attend the Confederate reunion to be held at Fairfax Courthouse on September 11 and 12. Hon. R. W. Moore will deliver the address of welcome and Judge James M. Love will be master of ceremonies. Addresses are expected from leading Virginians. A procession will form in the morning, with Capt. J. Owens Berry and Capt. Joseph E. Willard as marshals, and pass through the streets of the village to the Confederate monument in the following order: Music, Camp Marr, Confederate Veterans, Mosby's men, Sixth Virginia Cavalry, visiting Confederate Veterans, Fairfax Confederate Veterans, Sons of Confederate Veterans, Company I, Fairfax Volunteers of the Spanish War, supervisors of the county and citizens generally. After the close of the procession an oration will be delivered at the Confederate monument. On the second day, Sept. 12, there will be exercises connected with the celebration of the centennial of Fairfax Courthouse.

In the Penitentiary. A. C. Gilligan, the slayer of C. Beverly Turner, of Isle of Wight county, who was given 18 years in the penitentiary for the murder of which he was found guilty, was taken to the State prison in charge of a guard from the penitentiary to serve out his sentence. The prisoner was handcuffed. He attracted much attention while at the depot, but he did not appear to mind the stare of the crowd. he had any statement to make for publication in regard to his case and trial he replied that he had not, as it was too late now to talk. Several of Gilligan's friends shook hands with him while at the depot, which led him to remark, "It is very awkward to shake hands when one is handcuffed."

burg ever since his conviction. There is a very strong demand in the

English markets for Virginia dark tobacco. A few days ago the representative of a widely known London house came to Richmond to look into the question of the stock of this grade of tobacco and the prospects for this year's crop. This extensive English buyer came to this country on August 1 and made a tour of the West first and then came direct to Richmond to look into the tobacco market. The situation he found as favorable as desired, and in future he says there will President Hadley, of Yale, is an ex- be imported into the English market a great amount of dark Virginia weed. In the past they have been handling cigar leaf.